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## LMTV Mishap Claims Nine Soldiers' Lives

Eight 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade Combat Team, 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division, FT Hood, TX, Soldiers and one US Army Military Academy Cadet died as the result of an LMTV mishap that occurred on 2 June 2016, at approximately 1100 local on FT Hood, TX. The Soldiers were participating in a convoy-operations training exercise, consisting of four vehicles, when their vehicle overturned at a hardstand and bridge-crossing site during flood conditions. The three remaining Soldiers who were in the vehicle survived. A Centralized Accident Investigation (CAI) team from the US Army Combat Readiness Center is investigating.

Leader Engagement Tip:

- Do your vehicle crews understand proper procedures for water crossings?

<https://safety.army.mil/MEDIA/VideoLibrary/VideoPlayer/TabId/112/VideoId/60>

This Class A accident totals **10** AMV (Army Motor Vehicle) fatalities in FY16, compared to **6** for the same time frame in FY15. This PLR does not identify specific root causes of this incident as the investigation is ongoing. Further details will be available at a later date on RMIS (RMIS Login Required).

PLRs are intended to alert leaders to mishaps resulting in the loss of Soldiers/Civilians and to provide awareness in the interest of prevention and combat readiness.

Our Army depends on you to use these PLRs to help Soldiers understand the impact of decisions made on and off duty.

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